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Funeral of John Woods.

A large attendance of friends and relatives from Bridgeport, Martin's Ferry and surrounding country, was present yesterday at the burial of John Woods. The services were held at his late residence, three miles west of Bridgeport, on the Cadiz pike. The interment was at Weska' cometery. The Bridgeport lodge No. 181, Free and Accepted Massons, had charge of the funeral. Rev. R. S. Strahl officiated. The pall bearers were I. M. Fogle, John Brooks, W. J. McHugh, S. A. Clemens, James Clark and Thomas Hill, of the Masonic lodge of which the deceased was a prominent man in financial and business circles in his native county of Belment, for many years past. By his strict and careful attention to business, with careful management, he had accumulated a fortune that he leaves to his helrs. the Cadiz pike. The interment was at

To G. A. R. Encampment. From thirty to forty G. A. R. men will go to Buffalo to the National Encampment, from Bridgeport, over the Penn-sylvania lines. The round trip fare is \$5.50. A special through car or cars, it necessary, will leave Bellaire, Bridgeport and Martin's Ferry early Monday morning, August 2rd, and be hurried through via Mingo and the Pan-Handle via Pittsburgh and the Allegheny Valley railroad, arriving at Buffalo at 6 o'clock Monday evening. A number of G.A. R., men will be accompanied by their wive, and families. It is intended to provide especially for the comfort of the ladies, and in no event to crowd into a single coach an uncomfortable number of people. Refreshments in the shape of hot coffee and sandwiches will be served on the cars. \$5 50. A special through car or cars, 11

IN THE BALANCE.

'Merchants' Day" Project Not Re-

FROM BUSINESS COMMUNITY.

Called for Last Night was Attended by a Small Representation of Wholesalers A Motion to Drop the Project was Not Seconded-Another Meeting will be Held Thursday Evening.

The "Merchants' Day" project hangs in the balance with a few ounces overweight slowly sending the beam in the direction of failure and abandonment Unless there is an awakening to the situation and some lively hustling, "Merchants' Day" will be numbered among the enterprises that have flickered and died in extreme infancy.

The meeting of the wholesalers called for last evening at the chamber of commerce, for the purpose of taking up the matter and completing the arrange ments for the event, was so meagerly attended that those who were present had all the spirit taken out of them at the start. In the absence of Chairman Hullihen Quarrier, Mr. Allen Brock, of the Joseph Speldel Grocery Company, was elevated to the chair, temporarily.

Secretary G. W. Wilkinson reported that only nine of the thirty-eight firms had handed over to him the lists of persons to be invited here on "Merchants" Day," and until he had received the other lists he could not prepare the amended list. The firms that have already responded are the Baera' Sons Grocer Company, Locke Shoc Company, McCoy Shoc Company, the Kraft-Frank Company, Joseph Speldel Grocery Company, John S. Naylor & Company, T. T. Hutchisson, E. Wagner, Trimble & Luis Company, Henry Speyer and Neill & Ellingham. He believed that the number of merchants to be invited would reach 3,800 to 4,000, not far away from the larger figure. He did not believe ha could prepare the revised list before Thursday.

This report was followed by a discussion in which it was shown that there is a disposition to drop the proposed outing and entertainment of the out-of-town customers of the wholesalers. A motion was made requesting the secretary to prepare a statement of the expense already incurred and that a pro-rata assessment be made on the firms having subscribed to the fundafter which the project would be dropped. This motion failed to received a second and was dropped.

Another gentleman suggested the advisability of inviting 1,000 merchants. With the \$3,000 subscribed to the guarantee fund and the probability that a one-cent a mile rate would be obtained from the railroads, he thought no risk would follow the celebration with the invitations limited to 1,000, or, or the other hand, the committee could amend its plan and arrange to have the visitors pay their own railroad fare at the reduced rate and use the fund subscribed in their entertainment. In this way there would be little chance of loss even if more than 1,000 merchants accepted the invitation.

ned in the meantime that the matter would be finally disposed of at that meeting.

Before the motion was put, however, Mr. Ellingham suggested that Secretary George Hook, of the West Virginia State Fair Association, be given the floor. This was acted upon favorably, and the genial state fair man made his "spiel." He did not like to see the "Merchants" Day" idea doomed to fullure, and suggested as a way out of the trouble that it be held during fair week, when so many wholesalers from the territory tributary to jobbing Wheeling usually come to the city. Failure in this undertaking would not speak well for the enterprise and spirit of the merchants of Wheeling. The "Merchants' Day" celebration could be held this year on a modest scale in connection with the fair, and exit year there would be more time to mature plans and raise the necessary funds.

Merchants, however, objected to this plan, stating that it would be next to impossible to do business with the visitors while so strong an amusement attraction as the state fair drew them in another direction.

After further discussion the meeting adjourned until Thursday evening, when the matter will be disposed of.

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